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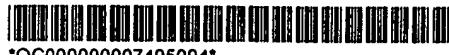
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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

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This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - Drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, and copy marks.

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to Confirmation No. 6320 mailed February 19, 2002.

The formalities letter is entitled "Notice to File Corrected Application Papers" and then indicates that the application is informal because the drawings must be reasonably free from erasures, alterations, etc.

The drawings as submitted are perfectly proper in this situation. It is agreed that there are interlineations and over writings in the drawings, but those constitute part of the drawings per se. The application is directed to a method of editing text and in order to illustrate the nature of the editing, the invention comprises writing on the text or circling portions thereof and then proving some sort of edited text result based on the interlineations and underlining made on the original text.

If one reads the specification of the instant application in connection with the drawing already submitted, it will be clear that the drawings properly reflect the invention and are in full compliance with the statutory requirements for Patent Office drawings.

Counsel for applicant will welcome any phone call from the Patent Office in connection with this matter.

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A copy of the notice is submitted herewith in accordance with the PTO request.

Respectfully submitted,



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